

MARINE INFORMATION**NOAA CHART NEW EDITIONS AND THEIR AVAILABILITY**

NOAA recognizes two paper nautical chart products:

- the Charts-on-Demand chart distributed by OceanGrafix (www.OceanGrafix.com), and
- the traditional NOAA/NOS paper chart distributed by the Federal Aviation Administration and the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA).

The Charts-on-Demand chart is available the day after NOAA clears a New Edition for release. The traditional chart is available two to eight weeks later. Each is official, should be put into service immediately, and meets Federal chart carriage requirements immediately upon its release. For questions, contact NOAA at help@nauticalcharts.gov or call 301-713-1773 x105. Dates of Latest Edition for both charts are listed at <http://nauticalcharts.noaa.gov>.

This week's new editions released by NOAA are listed below:

11543	23 rd Ed. Jun 2005 NEW EDITION NC-CAPE LOOKOUT TO NEW RIVER (New edition due to changes in hydrography and various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:80,000 /LORAN-C
12318	43 rd Ed. Jun 2005 NEW EDITION NJ-LITTLE EGG INLET TO HEREFORD INLET INSET: Absecon Inlet (New edition due to changes in hydrography.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:80,000 1:20,000
12373	15 th Ed. Jun 2005 NEW EDITION CT-NORTH SHORE OF LONG ISLAND SOUND-GUILFORD HARBOR TO FARM RIVER (New edition due to various general changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:20,000
14860	36 th Ed. Jun 2005 NEW EDITION GREAT LAKES-LAKE HURON (New edition due to numerous Notice to Mariner changes.)	NAD 83	(NOS Silver Spring, MD) 1:500,000 /LORAN-C

NEW EDITION OF LIST OF LIGHTS

Pub. 116, 2005 Edition, List of Lights, Radio Aids and Fog Signals for the Baltic Sea with Kattegat, Belts and Sound and Gulf of Bothnia, is ready for issue.

This edition contains information available to the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) up to 2 April 2005, including Notice to Mariners No. 14 of 2005.

Corrections subsequent to the above effective date, up to and including Notice to Mariners No. 28 of 2005, are contained in Section II of this Notice.

In the interval between new editions, corrective information affecting this publication will be published in the Notice to Mariners and must be applied in order to keep this publication current.

Note: Copies of the above publication may be obtained from the Government Printing Office (GPO).

NEW EDITION OF FLEET GUIDE

Pub. 940, Fleet Guide Atlantic, Fourth Edition, 2005 is ready for issue to the Department of Defense (DoD), qualified DoD contractors and U.S. Government Agencies supporting DoD functions only. This Fleet Guide includes all Fleet Guide Atlantic Chapters published in one book and has been corrected to 7 May 2005, including Notice to Mariners No. 19 of 2005.

This edition is produced by NGA in digital format only, available on CD-ROM.

Digital Nautical publications will be updated using a binary executable called "Publication Data Update (PDU)." PDU updates are cumulative or sequential, ensuring customers will not miss any changes.

**NATIONAL GEOSPATIAL-INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION WEB SITE REDESIGN**

The Maritime Safety Information Web site is currently being redesigned. The purpose of this redesign is to provide easier, more efficient site navigation and site maintenance.

The new site is expected to become available by late July 2005, if not sooner. At that time, the Uniform Resource Locator (URL) of all Maritime Safety Information Web pages will change. The Home page, currently at <http://pollux.nss.nga.mil>, will change to <http://www.nga.mil/maritime>. Users will need to update their browser bookmarks to reflect these changes. Additionally, since URL's of the redesigned pages will be created dynamically, pre-populated database queries that have been saved as bookmarks or hyperlinks will no longer function correctly. This limitation is inherent in the software application that NGA has chosen to maintain all of its Web sites.